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In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed April 15, 2005, in the above-identified application, the Applicant respectfully requests the following changes to correct minor errors in the application and drawings.